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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Saitoh ) Art Unit: 1771  
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Serial No.: 10/049,444 ) Examiner: Zirker, D.  
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Filing Date: February 07, 2002 ) 3M Matter No. : 55078US005

For: **ADHESIVE SHEET AND COATING ADHESIVE SHEET**

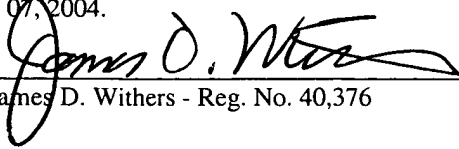
AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action mailed on November 07, 2003, Applicant requests further examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 in light of the following amendments and remarks, which are believed to place the application in condition for allowance.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on January 07, 2004.

  
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